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Declaration and Power of Attorney

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **A Method And Apparatus For Filtering Packets Using A Dedicated Processor** the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by an amendment, if any, specifically referred to in this oath or declaration.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

None

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

None

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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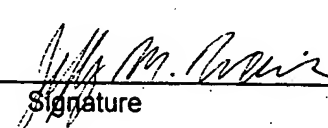
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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, we, Arturo Maria, of Bellevue in the County of King and State of Washington, and Leslie Dale Owens, of Issaquah in the County of King and State of Washington, hereby sell, assign and transfer to AT&T Wireless Services, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having an office at 5000 Carillon Point, Kirkland, Washington 98033, U.S.A., and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to **A Method And Apparatus For Filtering Packets Using A Dedicated Processor** described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us of even date herewith, and all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. may designate.

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We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.



Arturo Maria

Date: 10/14/97

United States of America)

State of Washington) ss.:

County of King)

On this 14th day of October, 1997, before me personally came Arturo Maria, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.



Notary Public



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Leslie Dale Owens
Leslie Dale Owens

Date: 10/18/97

United States of America)

State of Washington) ss.:

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On this 18th day of October, 1997, before me personally came Leslie Dale Owens, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Laurie Manning
Notary Public



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application no. 09/580204
Filed: May 26, 2000
For: Method And Apparatus For Filtering
Packets Using A Dedicated
Processor

**REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY,
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AT&T Wireless Services, Inc., the assignee of the above-referenced application, hereby revokes all powers of attorney or authorizations of agent previously given in the above-referenced application. Please recognize the practitioners identified below as attorneys or agents to prosecute the application and to transact business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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Please change the new docket number associated with this application to 12177/35602.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73 (b)

AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-referenced patent application by virtue of the assignment from the inventors which was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 08794, Frame 0243.

The undersigned is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 30, 2002



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